



Horse Racing Division

FINAL REPORT

RACE MEETING 17 – PEOPLE’S TURF PLC

DATE:	Saturday, 15 th July 2023	
TRACK:	Good	
PENETROMETER	2.8	
WEATHER:	Sunny	
FALSE RAILS:	2m	
STEWARDS PANEL:	MR. D. MOODLEY (<i>Chairperson</i>) MR. R. M. KHAN MR. T.S. MAHENDHER MR. S. THAKAN Mr. D. LABELLE (Trainee)	
RACEDAY OFFICIALS:	Starters on duty:	Mr R. Rawa & Mr. S. Marudaweeran
	Clerk of Scales on duty:	Mr R. Hemraze
	Judges on duty:	Mr. K. Lingen & Mrs A. Ragudu
	Inquiry Reporter on duty:	Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon
	Betting Analyst:	Ms K. Hurboseea
	Farrier on duty:	Mr N. Keble
	Specimen Collector on duty:	Mr M. Ramkissoon
	Course Medical Doctors on duty:	Dr Balloo & Dr Ancharuz
Veterinary Surgeon:	Dr. M. C. Domaingue	

Race 1 - 12:00 - THE PTP WELCOMES YOU CUP - [0 - 25] - 1600m (10 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr02.10

General

1. Before the running of this race, the 990m camera was not working and the head on camera was in an alternate setting. These two issues were raised with the Mauritius Broadcasting Cooperation and were corrected before the running of the second race.

Starting Reports

1. HUDSON RIVER (J. Sophie) and INAUGURATION (M. Sonaram), which bumped leaving stalls, lost one length, respectively.
2. MASTEROFALLISURVEY (J. Allyhosain) was slow into stride.

Stewards Reports

1. The start of the race was reviewed pertaining to SPOTTED PEARL (S. Donohoe) drawn in stall gate 1. In this regard, it was established that this gate opened fractionally later than the others. However, when assessing this incident, the Board took note that this gelding did not suffer any prejudice as a consequence of this issue and had jumped on terms with the field. The matter was drawn to the attention of the Starter, Mr. R. Rawa, and the necessary measures were requested to be taken.
2. INAUGURATION (M. Sonaram) was baulked for a clear run between the 400m and the 300m.
3. THE HITMAN (K. Ramsamy) was hanging in from the 300m. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
4. The saddle of HUDSON RIVER (J. Sophie) slipped forward in the running. This was confirmed by the Stipendiary Stewards on the viewing of the footage.
5. In view of the performance of MASTEROFALLISURVEY (J. Allyhosain), the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
6. Apprentice C. Goolgar (SPIRITUAL WIND) and Jockey M.Rashpassing (NAO FAZ MAL) appeared before the Board, were shown the patrol films of the race and advised against the practice of using the whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running. Apprentice C. Goolgar and Jockey M.Rashpassing were issued with a warning.

7. Apprentice N. Batchameah (SOCKEROO) appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised against the practice of using his whip more than 7 times before the 150m. Apprentice N. Batchameah was issued with a warning. Additionally, Apprentice N. Batchameah signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 29.2.15, in that he used his whip down the shoulder of SOCKEROO, whilst in the drawn position. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 3,500 was imposed on him.
8. After observing that a handler was not clear of the horses as the gates were opened, the Stipendiary Stewards reminded Starter R. Rawa of his obligation to ensure that all handlers are clear of the gates prior to effecting the start. Notwithstanding this incident, the Board was satisfied that no runner was impeded by this incident.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. MASTEROFALLISURVEY - No abnormalities detected
2. THE HITMAN - No abnormalities detected

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	SPOTTED PEARL	R. Maingard	S. Donohoe	-
2ND	SPIRITUAL WIND	S. Mahadia	C. Goolgar	1.25
3RD	OVERDOSE	A. Sewdyaal	S. Rama	6.60
4TH	INAUGURATION	Y. Perdrau	M. Sonaram	7.25
5TH	SOCKEROO	C. Ramdin	N. Batchameah	7.55
	TIME OF RACE:	1.38.20s		

Race 2 - 12:35 - BOOK A TABLE AT PTP CUP - [0 - 15] - 990m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr36.05

Starting Report

1. LE QUARTIER (I. Taka) and CHESTNUT COVE (J. Allyhosain) brushed.

Stewards Reports

1. At the 900m, SUPREME ELEVATION (R. Kulloo) shifted out when awkwardly placed in respect of the running rail. In reaction to this movement, LE QUARTIER (I. Taka) was momentarily inconvenienced, took a hold, shifted out and carried out CHESTNUT COVE (J. Allyhosain). Additionally, the saddle of SUPREME ELEVATION slipped forward in the running. This was confirmed by the Stipendiary Stewards during the viewing of the footage.

In light of this being another ride with a delayed correction from Apprentice R. Kulloo, the Stipendiary Stewards are in the opinion that his performance cannot be considered as a qualified ride. Therefore, Apprentice R. Kulloo has been suspended by the Stipendiary Stewards, until satisfactorily completing an approved apprentice program.

2. Starter R. Rawa appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised that in the event that the false rails available were unsuitable (as explained by him), he ought to mitigate this impact by loading the horses further out. Additionally, the Clerk of the Course, Mr. J. Sampson, will be made aware of this issue and requested to resolve such prior to the next race meeting.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	YOHO MIST	A. Sewdyal	S. Rama	-
2ND	LE QUARTIER	C. Daby	I. Taka	1.70
3RD	CHESTNUT COVE	Y. Emamdee	J. Allyhosain	4.80
4TH	CRACKON	N. Rawat	S. Donohoe	6.30
5TH	SUPREME ELEVATION	N. Rawat	R. Kulloo	9.00
	TIME OF RACE:	56.25s		

Race 3 - 13:10 - THE BILYGANE CUP - Benchmark 41 - 1400m (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr11.45

Starting Reports

1. Leaving the stalls, SYDS LIASON (N. Batchameah) and FREEDOM OF SPEECH (M. De Oliveira) brushed.
2. CARLAS MAMBO (J. Sophie) was restless and backed itself out of the gates. Thereafter, this gelding was examined by the Veterinary Surgeon, passed fit to race and reloaded.
3. CRAZY CHARLIE (J. Allyhosain) lost four lengths and was slow into stride.

Stewards Reports

1. At the 1300m, SYDS LIASON (N. Batchameah) was momentarily steadied when awkwardly placed between CANFORD LIGHTS (B. Sooful) and FREEDOM OF SPEECH (M. De Oliveira), which drifted in whilst Jockey M. De Oliveira was adjusting his left stirrup iron. Jockey M. De Oliveira appeared before the Board and was advised to take more care when shifting ground in races, and was issued with a warning.
2. At the 1200m, CARLAS MAMBO (J. Sophie) shifted in and went across SYDS LIASON (N. Batchameah). Apprentice J. Sophie signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 43.2.2, in that as the rider of the horse CARLAS MAMBO, he failed to ensure that he did not cause interference to SYDS LIASON at the 1200m. A suspension from riding in races for a period of one race meeting was imposed.
3. CANFORD LIGHTS (B. Sooful) overraced in the early and middle stages of the race. Thereafter, this gelding was hanging in, in the straight.
4. CRAZY CHARLIE (J. Allyhosain) was briefly baulked for a clear run at the 300m.
5. FREEDOM OF SPEECH (M. De Oliveira) was hanging in, in the straight.
6. PARTNER IN CRIME (S. Rama) shifted out away from the whip from the 200m.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	FREEDOM OF SPEECH	S. Mahadia	M. De Oliveira	-
2ND	CANFORD LIGHTS	C. Daby	B. Sooful	0.90
3RD	PARTNER IN CRIME	R. Maingard	S. Rama	0.95
4TH	CRAZY CHARLIE	S. Narang	J. Allyhosain	2.85
5TH	SYDS LIASON	P. Nagadoo	N. Batchameah	5.95
	TIME OF RACE:	1.24.39s		

Race 4 - 13:45 - THE PTP MEDICAL TEAM CUP - Benchmark 46 - 1500m (8 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr51.28

General

1. Prior to the race, Trainer S. Mahadia advised the Board that he had identified significant speed drawn on MASSIMO's inside today. Therefore, he would leave it to the Jockey to determine how much to commit regarding securing his favoured forward positioning.
2. Prior to the race, Trainer D. Zaki advised the Board that POP ICON will be ridden aggressively in order to lead, if possible.
3. The start of this race was delayed due to the near fore shoe of SEA AIR (C. Goolgar) having to be refitted at the start.

Starting Reports

1. THE IT FACTOR (S. Rama) was restless in the gates.
2. SEA AIR (C. Goolgar), WE LIGHT THE FIRE (K. Ramsamy) and BESTDAY OF MYLIFE (I. Taka) lost one length, respectively.

Stewards Reports

1. POP ICON (J. Allyhosain) overraced in the early stages.

2. BESTDAY OF MYLIFE (I. Taka) was ridden from the 600m, raced wide around horses and into the straight.
3. DUKE'S DOMAIN (M. Sonaram) took an awkward stride over the crossing at the 450m.
4. THE IT FACTOR (S. Rama) was baulked briefly for a clear run at approximately the 300m.
5. MASSIMO (M. De Oliveira) was hanging in, in the straight.
6. SEA AIR (C. Goolgar) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.
7. Jockey M. Sonaram reported that DUKE'S DOMAIN made an abnormal respiratory noise in the running. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
8. An inquiry will be opened into the riding of SEA AIR (C. Goolgar) in the concluding stages of the race.
9. Jockey M. Sonaram signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 29.2.4, in that while riding the horse DUKE'S DOMAIN, he used his whip above shoulder height in the running. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 2000 was imposed.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. OPAGUE was scratched on 14 July 2023 at 16hr23. All bets on OPAGUE were ordered to be cancelled, refunded and betting to be reopened.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. MASSIMO - Injury on lip commissure
2. DUKE'S DOMAIN - No abnormalities detected.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	ARNHEM LAND	R. Maingard	S. Donohoe	-
2ND	MASSIMO	S. Mahadia	M. De Oliveira	6.55
3RD	DUKE'S DOMAIN	P. Nagadoo	M. Sonaram	8.85
4TH	BESTDAY OF MYLIFE	C. Daby	I. Taka	9.05
5TH	SEA AIR	V. Ruhee	C. Goolgar	9.30
	TIME OF RACE:	1.30.30s		

Race 5 - 14:20 - THE SMS.MU CUP - Benchmark 66 - 1500m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	14hr25.00
Off time:	14hr26.59

Starting Reports

1. PRINCE ALF (M. Sonaram) brushed the gates while leaving the stalls.

Stewards Reports

1. YOUR PACE OR MINE (K. Ramsamy) showed a tendency to lean in throughout the running. Thereafter, this gelding was ridden from the 600m and raced wide between the 500m and the 300m.
2. Between the 600m and the 400m, CAPTAIN FLYNT (B. Sooful) was momentarily inconvenienced on at least two occasions, when awkwardly placed on the inside, and thereafter on the heels of TRANSONIC (M. De Oliveira), which committed early and took the lead at the 550m. Thereafter, CAPTAIN FLYNT was hanging in, in the straight.
3. PRINCE ALF (M. Sonaram) was baulked for a clear run between the 400m and the 300m.
4. TRANSONIC (M. De OLIVEIRA) was hanging in, in the straight.
5. Jockey B. Sooful (CAPTAIN FLYNT) appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised against the practice of using his whip down the shoulder of his horse while in the drawn position. Jockey B. Sooful was issued with a warning.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. GRAND VISION was scratched on 14 July 2023 at 16hr23. All bets on GRAND VISION were ordered to be cancelled, refunded and betting to be reopened.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	PRINCE ALF	S. Hurchund	M. Sonaram	-
2ND	TRANSONIC	S. Mahadia	M. De Oliveira	2.30
3RD	CAPTAIN FLYNT	C. Daby	B. Sooful	3.10
4TH	YOUR PACE OR MINE	S. Narang	K. Ramsamy	3.55
5TH	LICKERIO	A. Sewdyaal	S. Rama	6.80
	TIME OF RACE:	1.30.13s		



Race 6 - 14:55 - THE PEOPLE'S TURF PLC WINTER 2023 CUP - G3 - 1850m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr59.15

Starting Reports

1. SPECIAL BLEND (S. Donohoe) jumped awkwardly and lost one length.

Stewards Reports

1. SPECIAL BLEND (S. Donohoe) showed a tendency to lay out in the straight.
2. At the 200m, IDITAROD TRAIL (B. Sooful) had to switch in to continue its run when awkwardly placed on heels of ALSHIBAA (J. Allyhosain), which shifted out away from the whip
3. Jockey B. Sooful (LUNAFACATION) appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and and was questioned in particular with regard to his decision to correct with the left rein shortly before the finish. In this regard, Jockey B. Sooful explained that his horse had shown a tendency to hang in, in the straight, and when HUBBLE (K. Ramsamy) drifted out towards him, he was concerned that if his mount drifted in further without him correcting, it would result in interference being caused and thereby prejudicing his horse. The Board noted the explanations of Jockey B. Sooful.
4. Jockey B. Sooful signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 29.2.15, in that he used his whip down the shoulder of LUNAFACATION, whilst in the drawn position. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 2,000 was imposed on him.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. HOLY WARRIOR and FAVOUR were scratched on 14 July 2023 at 16hr23. All bets on HOLY WARRIOR and FAVOUR were ordered to be cancelled, refunded and betting to be reopened.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. SPECIAL BLEND - Lameness off fore
2. HUBBLE - Spread shoe off fore

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	SPECIAL BLEND	Y. Perdrau	S. Donohoe	-
2ND	LUNAFACATION	S. Mahadia	B. Sooful	0.30
3RD	HUBBLE	Y. Emamdee	K. Ramsamy	0.50
4TH	ALSHIBAA	R. Maingard	J. Allyhosain	3.05
5TH	IDITAROD TRAIL	S. Narang	M. Sonaram	3.80
	TIME OF RACE:	No Time Taken		

Race 7 - 15:30 - THE NELSON MANDELA INTERNATIONAL DAY CUP - 50 + - 990m (4 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	15hr32.41

Starting Reports

1. No report.

Stewards Reports

1. TRIPLE FATE LINE (J. Allyhosain) was baulked for a clear run between the 400m and the 300m.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. MARAUDING was scratched on 14 July 2023 at 16hr23. All bets on MARAUDING were ordered to be cancelled, refunded and betting to be reopened.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	TRIPLE FATE LINE	S. Narang	J. Allyhosain	-
2ND	HENRY TUDOR	C. Daby	B. Sooful	1.55
3RD	COLOUR MY FATE	A. Sewdyaal	S. Rama	5.55
4TH	VALYRIAN KING	C. Ramdin	M. Sonaram	9.05
	TIME OF RACE:	No time taken		



**Race 8 - 16:15 - 'LA JOURNÉE MONDIALE DES COMPÉTENCES DES JEUNES' CUP
- Benchmark 31 - 1500m (10 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	16.16.57

General

1. Prior to the commencement of this race, the instructions for all riders were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. In this regard, each of the instructions matched the racing pattern of the horses.

Starting Reports

1. GORDONSTOUN (K. Ramsamy) jumped awkwardly.
2. GENERAL JACKSON (M. Sonaram) lost many lengths leaving the starting stalls.
3. I'M AL (N. Marday), ITDAWNEDONME (J. Allyhosain) and THE JAZZ SINGER (N. Batchameah) lost one length, respectively.

Stewards Reports

1. In view of the starting report, Trainer Y. Perdrau will be advised to take all reasonable measures to improve GENERAL JACKSON's racing manners, failing which more severe action may follow.
2. THE JAZZ SINGER (N. Batchameah) raced wide into the straight.
3. LIQUID (B. Sooful) switched out to continue its run in the concluding stages.
4. In view of the performance of THE JAZZ SINGER (N. Batchameah) and GORDONSTOUN (K. Ramsamy), the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
5. It was observed post-race that a member of the public made contact with M. De Oliveira. This matter has been addressed with the Clerk of the Course, Mr. J. Sampson, and he was advised to take all measures to ensure there is no similar occurrence in the future.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None

Veterinary Surgeon Report

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| 1. BETATHANTHEREST | - Distressed after the race |
| 2. IM AL | - Lameness off fore |
| 3. THE JAZZ SINGER | - No abnormalities detected |
| 4. GORDONSTOUN | - No abnormalities detected |

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	BETATHANTHEREST	S. Mahadia	M. De Oliveira	-
2ND	SERGEANT YORK	K. Ramanah	S. Donohoe	5.30
3RD	LIQUID	C. Daby	B. Sooful	7.10
4TH	GORDONSTOUN	Y. Emamdee	K. Ramsamy	8.00
5TH	AMANDLA	V. Ruhee	N. Teeha	8.10
	TIME OF RACE:	1.30.17s		



Other comments/Explanations:

1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned negative.
2. In all races, the riders were weighed in.
3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
4. All riders were breathalyzed and cleared to race.



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RACEDAY SUMMARY

	RACE	NAME		RULE
Horse Suspensions:				
Rider Suspensions:	2	Apprentice R. Kulloo (SUPREME ELEVATION)	Until satisfactorily completing an approved apprentice program	
	3	J. Sophie (CARLAS MAMBO)	1 race meeting	43.2.2
Fines:	1	N. Batchameah (SOCKEROO)	Rs 3,500	29.2.15
	4	M. Sonaram (DUKE'S DOMAIN)	Rs 2,000	29.2.4
	6	B. Sooful (LUNAFACATION)	Rs 2,000	29.2.15
Reprimands:	1	C. Goolgar (SPIRITUAL WIND)	Advised against the practice of using his whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running.	
	1	M.Rashpassing (NAO FAZ MAL)	Advised against the practice of using his whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running.	
	1	N. Batchameah (SOCKEROO)	Advised against the practice of using his whip more than 7 times before the 150m	
	3	M. De Oliveira (FREEDOM OF SPEECH)	Advised to take more care when shifting ground in races	

	5	B. Sooful (CAPTAIN FLYNT	Advised against the practice of using his whip down the shoulder of his horse while in the drawn position	
Change of Tactics:				
Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:				
Inquiries	4	C. Goolgar	Into the riding of SEA AIR	



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. Race Meeting 16 - Race 9 - THE CARBON CLEANING SERVICES MAURITIUS CUP - Benchmark 46 - ABT. 990m

Jockey B. Sooful signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 43.2.2, in that as the rider of the horse BLESS MY PATH, he failed to ensure that he did not cause interference to NOURBESE (R. Joorawon) near the 150m. A suspension from riding in races for a period of one race meeting was imposed.

2. Race Meeting 16 - Race 9 - THE CARBON CLEANING SERVICES MAURITIUS CUP - Benchmark 46 - ABT. 990m

Jockey J. Allyhosain signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 43.2.2, in that as the rider of the horse ILLICIT KISS, he failed to ensure that he did not cause interference to WARRIOR CAPTAIN (D. Bheekary) and SPRY (R. Joorawon) near the 150m. A suspension from riding in races for a period of two race meetings was imposed.